

## Message Text

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NEA ONLY

FOR NEA/EX CONNOLLY AND NEA/ARN NEUMANN FROM VELIOTES

E. O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ECON, APER, JO  
SUBJECT: COMMERCIAL OFFICER POSITION IN AMMAN

REF: AMMAN 5814

1. WOULD APPRECIATE STATUS REPORT ON NEW COMMERCIAL OFFICER  
POSITION. DO WE HAVE FINAL APPROVAL OF OUR PLANS TO RE-  
PROGRAM?

2. WHEN COULD WE REALISTICALLY PLAN TO HAVE OFFICER IN  
PLACE? IF WE ARE THINKING OF PERIOD OF MONTHS DELAY, AS IS  
SUGGESTED HERE, HOW ABOUT KEVIN HONAN? THIS WOULD BE A  
GOOD ASSIGNMENT, COMPLEMENTING HIS NEA DESK EXPERIENCE AND  
BE A FINE OPPORTUNITY TO IMPROVE HIS ARABIC PRIOR TO CON-  
TINUING LANGUAGE TRAINING.

3. INCIDENTALLY, THERE IS NO WAY ONE OFFICER CAN BE THE  
ECONOMIC CHIEF AND COMMERCIAL OFFICER. ASIDE FROM THE WORK  
REQUIREMENT, TRAVEL FROM EMBASSY TO COMMERICAL OFFICE IS  
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VERY TIME-CONSUMING DURING WORKING HOURS DUE TO TRAFFIC  
CONDITIONS. JUST THOUGHT YOU WOULD LIKE THIS FIRST-HAND  
CONFIRMATION OF BUREAU'S REPROGRAMMING WISDOM\*

4. IF IDEA OF KEVIN COMMENDS ITSELF TO YOU, PLEASE DISCUSS  
WITH TOM CAROLAN. VELIOTES

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